



MICHIGAN STATE FAIR JR. HIGH / FRESHMAN CHEERLEADING

Team Name _____
Coach's Name _____
School Name _____
School Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Federal Tax I.D. Number _____
Coach's Home Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone: Home (____) _____ School (____) _____
E-mail _____

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING

_____ Coach - **Free** _____ Assistant Coach - **Free**
_____ Number of Participants

\$125.00 Entry Fee Per Team _____ **Total Amount Due**

One (1) parking pass for every four (4) participants
will be provided for all teams that **respond by the due date.**

Please send Application and
Check or Money Order made payable to:
"State of Michigan" by Friday, July 29th

Attn: Jr. High / Freshman Cheer
Michigan State Fair
1120 W. State Fair Avenue
Detroit, MI 48203



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COMPETITION DATE

Sunday, August 14th, 2005

TIME SCHEDULE

10:30 a.m. - Coaches' Meeting **11:00 a.m.** - Competition Begins

COMPETITION AREA - **NEW INDOOR VENUE!**

Coliseum Concert Hall
Competitions will take place on a **42' x 42'** carpeted cheer
surface

RULES

See Rules on reverse side

AWARDS

1st Place = Trophy + \$250.00

2nd Place = Trophy + \$150.00

3rd Place = Trophy + \$ 50.00

4th Place = Trophy

5th Place = Trophy

6th Place = Trophy

NON-REFUNDABLE ENTRY FEE

\$125.00 Per Team

One (1) admission per registered participant, coach & assistant
coach

DEADLINE

Friday, July 29th, 2005

COMPETITION QUESTIONS

Please call Competition Coordinator - **Cindy Tyzo**

Work **(248) 488-5852**

Home **(248) 539-1864**

FAIR INFORMATION

Please call General Information - **(313) 369-8250**

Entertainment & Special Events - **(313) 369-8310**



Return This Portion With Entry Fee(s)



NATIONAL FEDERATION SPIRIT RULES APPLY

1. Each team will perform two (2) cheers. They may be stunting cheers, straight cheers, or a combination of stunting and straight cheers. They will be performed back to back.
2. All cheers will be timed and limited to one (1) minute. Timing begins with the first word or motions and ends with the last word or motion. Penalty for going over the time limit is 10 points.
3. No cheer will include any stunt that is over two (2) tiers.
4. The timer and penaltician will be separate person(s) from the adjudicator staff.
5. National Federation Spirit Rules will apply. Violation of the guidelines will result in a ten (10) point penalty for the cheer in which the violation occurred.
6. Judging Categories for Each Cheer - **10 Points Each**
 - **Floor Mobility** - accuracy of formations and effectiveness
 - **Leadership** - voice inflection, clarity, squad volume, facial expression, eye contact, enthusiasm and floor presence
 - **Group Coordination** - precision, arm motions, execution
 - **Creativity of Material** - variety, difficulty, creativity of: floor mobility, motion skills and enhancements
 - **Crowd Involvement** - cheer demonstrates the ability to get the crowd involved
 - **Overall Impression** - a culmination of the overall performance including appearance

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR GENERAL INFORMATION

All judges have been certified by the Michigan Cheer Judges Association.

Junior H.S. / Freshman Teams will perform first followed by Junior Varsity then Varsity. Order of competitors will be drawn prior to the competition.

No team is to practice any stunts without their coach present.

A Fairground's map will be included with participants' ticket packet. Your gate pass is not only your pass to the competition it is your invitation to enjoy the whole day at the Michigan State Fair.

HAVE A GREAT DAY
AT THE
**MICHIGAN
STATE FAIR**



NOTE: Michigan State Fair, Staff, Contest Coordinator, Judges and Sponsor are not responsible for accidents, property loss or injuries related to the competition.